

Unit Updates

478th Civil Affairs Battalion (SO)

C Company completed the following mission:

- ✓ Completed a primary school project in Obock, Djibouti with a grand opening of the school conducted on Dec. 4.
- ✓ Conducted a successful MEDCAP/VETCAP in Garissa, Kenya, Dec. 9-11. 1,588 were treated during the MEDCAP.

Renovations were completed on the Assamo Clinic Dec. 16.

On Dec. 13, a hospital in Ali Sabieh was opened after a renovation project was completed.

The hospital in Tadjoura was dedicated after an extensive renovated Jan. 6.

HMH-464 Det A (Rein) "Condors and Wolverines"

The "Condors and Wolverines" conducted the following Flight Training:

Provided lift for CJTF-HOA service members to Asmara, Eritrea 2-3 Dec.
 Provided lift for 478th Civil Affairs to Obock ribbon cutting on 4 Dec.
 Provided lift for 13th MEU troops and cargo on 4 Dec.
 Flew the 478th Civil Affairs team to Ali Sabieh, Djibouti for a ribbon cutting ceremony on 13 Dec.
 On Dec. 16 we provide lift for 478th CA team for the

Assamo, Djibouti ribbon cutting ceremony.
 On Dec. 18 we provided lift for VIPs to the USS Ogden and transported 15,000 laps of cargo.

December Training

- Conducted multiple NVG desert training flights
- Conducted multiple day/NVG Aerial Refueling flights
- Designated 1 new Helicopter Aircraft Commander(HAC)
- Designated 4 Aerial Gunners

Task Force Betio

Task Force Betio conducted the following training:

- ✓ Fire and movement training
- ✓ Enhanced Marksmanship Program sustainment training
- ✓ Advanced Obstacle breaching training

Congratulation to the fallowing Marine promoted in November:

Private to Private First Class:

Pfc. Matthew
 Pfc. Wilson
 Pfc. Saldin
 Pfc. Adams

Events: The task forces has hosted Author Robert Kaplan during his embedded book project supported to Headquarters Marine Corps since Jan. 8.

**Congratulations to Capt. Cassidy
 for his recent selection to Major.**